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MASONIC ROUND-UP

Lexington Chapter No. 10 Royal Arch Masons Hold All-day Session

31 CANDIDATES INITIATED

Followed by Banquet and Good Fellowship Meeting. Prominent Mason Present.

The month of October was the most strenuous one in the history of Lexington Chapter No. 10 Royal Arch Masons. Thirty-one candidates had been elected to membership and on Thursday night, October 7, the Mark Master's degree was conferred on nine of them. Meetings followed on Thursday night, October 8, and on Monday night, October 11. The degrees of Past Master and Most Excellent Master were next conferred on Monday night, October 18, and the Royal Arch degree on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights, October 20, 21 and 22. On the final day, Friday, October 29, all four degrees were conferred on nine candidates.

At the conclusion of the work on last Friday, all companions were called from labor to refreshment as the guests of Lexington Chapter at a banquet in honor of the distinguished Capitular Masons present, and especially to Judge Xenophon Ryland, the oldest living Past Grand High Priest of Missouri.



Judge Xenophon Ryland

The banquet was a feast, arranged and prepared under the direction of three Companions whose names will go down in history with the most famous Epicureans. C. L. Glasscock, M. C. McFadin and F. Lee Wallace,

names to conjure whenever a feast is spread; whenever the pangs of hunger have mastered all consciousness of other things, these names will bring to lip and tongue a memory so pungent of good things to eat that life will spring eternal in the human stomach.

After chairs had been shoved back and cigars had been passed, the toastmaster, H. C. Chiles, in his own inimitable way introduced the speakers of the evening, the first being Judge Xenophon Ryland, the oldest living Grand High Priest of Missouri, and the honored guest of the evening. Judge Ryland was followed by Judge O. A. Lucas, of Kansas City, present Grand High Priest; Dr. A. H. Mann of Kansas City, present Grand Lecturer; Lewis Vogelsang of St. Louis, Past Grand High Priest; D. M. Wilson of Milan, Past Grand High Priest; Rev. R. N. Allen, Chas. C. Gardiner, High Priest of the Kirksville Chapter; Albert Pico of Kansas City; H. W. McNeel, High Priest of Lexington Chapter and last but not least, James Price of Kansas City. Companion Price enlivened the meeting with Scottish songs and stories. The good time was concluded with the singing of Auld Lang Sgne.

About one hundred and fifty were present at the banquet, including visitors from St. Louis, Kansas City, Kirksville, Milan and all the neighboring towns in Lafayette county.

The following composed the class:

G. W. Hackley, W. A. Zeysing, J. W. Hays, D. H. Yancey, J. D. Davis, G. A. Weber, W. E. Trent, Dr. E. L. Johnston, F. H. Bray and Wm. A. Fletcher of Waverly.

T. B. Winn and Ernest Corbin of Dover.

Geo. A. Klingenberg and H. W. Schlapper of Concordia.

C. S. Parker, Aullville.

N. E. Baskett, Geo. H. Logan,

J. W. Frazier, E. N. Hopkins, C.

B. Waddell, D. W. Sherman, J.

A. Scarlett, M. A. Chambers and

Chas. Weber, Lexington.

W. F. Drummond, R. L. Sear-

foss, Dr. L. E. Dawson, Edgar

Filler, C. B. Hereford, O. W.

Phillips and W. F. Thieman,

Odessa.

The officers of Lexington Chap-

ter are deserving of the highest

NURSERY INSPECTION LAW

Trees for Planting Should Have a Nursery Inspection Certificate Attached.

Do you want San Jose scale or other dangerous insects or diseases on your fall planted fruit trees? Then watch all deliveries of nursery stock and see that each one has an official inspection certificate signed by L. Haseman, entomologist and chief inspector. This certificate of nursery inspection is issued by the Agricultural Experiment Station of the University of Missouri and indicates that the stock in question has been found "apparently free from dangerously injurious insects or plant diseases" by the chief inspector or his deputy who may also sign.

If any trees are delivered with such a certificate, the law and your own protection both require that you report at once to the chief inspector of nurseries, Columbia, Missouri.

Stock shipped in from other states must have a certificate similar in every way except that the inspector of that state may sign instead of the Missouri inspector.

All agents who take orders in Missouri are required to have written permits to sell nursery stock, and farmers and fruit growers are urged to require that the permit be shown. Agents who undertake to take orders without such a permit should be reported. Dealers in fruit trees must also have certificates permitting them to carry on this trade even though they do not act as the official agents of particular nurseries.

Through the annual inspection which is required by law, the Agricultural Experiment Station hopes to secure better and cleaner nursery stock, but the cooperation of the nurserymen and fruit-growers in this work is necessary if success is attained.

Rent For a Share.

Both owner and tenant get smaller income from cash rental contracts than when the work is for a share, according to figures gathered from 699 farms in Johnson County by the Missouri College of Agriculture. The man who farmed only his own land made 7.8 per cent on his investment.

Situation Wanted.

By a young lady to do general housework. Apply at the home of John Bray, and ask for Miss Ina Jacobs.

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Hogs! Hogs! Hogs!

I have for sale 12 Poland China Boars ready for service. They have been vaccinated and are free from disease.

A. P. YOUNG.

praise for the manner in which the work was put on. Lexington Chapter is second to none in Missouri in the initiatory work. The officers are as follows:

Henry W. McNeel, High Priest; W. P. Roach, King; Homer T. Phillips, Scribe; Dr. Z. M. Williams, Captain of the Host; G. H. Bates, Principal Sojourner; H. C. Chiles, Royal Arch Captain; Guy Morrison, Master Third Veil; Dr. C. W. Johnson, Master Second Veil; Ernest Powell, Master First Veil; S. W. Williams, Sentinel; Dr. W. R. Eckle, Secretary; J. C. Shelton, Treasurer; B. M. Little, Organist; Rev. R. N. Allen, Chaplain.

ACTION COMMENCED

Information Filed Against Wm. Palmer for Selling Whiskey on Sunday.

Prosecuting Attorney William Aull, Jr., Thursday filed an information with the Clerk of the Criminal Court against William Palmer, charging him with selling whiskey on Sunday. The act is said to have been committed on Sunday, October 24, when Charles Spruce, Ed Wilborn, Bob Hunter and "Dont" Goodwin were arrested for bootlegging. Hunter has made affidavit that the whiskey was sold by Mr. Palmer. Mr. Palmer has given bond for \$500, signed by Charles Lyons, his attorney. The trial is set for the December term of the criminal court.

Sunday whiskey selling in Lexington has long been notorious. Future developments along the line acted upon by the prosecuting attorney will be watched with intense interest, as a great majority of the people of Lexington are in hearty accord with the movement to put the law-breaker out of business. In the event of a conviction, but one penalty should be considered—that of revoking the license.

Teachers To The Convention.

The following teachers went to Kansas City Thursday to attend the State Teachers Convention: Misses Frances Yingling, Gracelinda Jameson, Kate Drysdale, Margaret Smith, Ella Carter, Elizabeth Gruber, Mary Greene, Elizabeth Eckle, Marie Hale, Matt and Sue Kinkead, Elizabeth Gwinner, Leslie Dillingham, Helen Shacklett, Marion Gaffin, Lelia Marsh, Florence Kidd, Katherine Sue Penick, Ina Richardson, Madeline Roach, Jennie Rush, Margaret Manning, Genevieve Russell, Nellie Mack; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Clemons, Prof. B. M. Little, Prof. C. H. Killion and Prof. George H. Green.

Spruce Plead Guilty.

Charles Spruce, one of the bootleggers caught last Sunday, plead guilty Friday before Justice of the Peace Clyde Wright, and was fined \$50 and costs. Not having the money to pay his fine, he was returned to the county jail. He refused to disclose the source of his supply of booze, and, as is always the case, the man "lower down" will not help him.

Spruce's condition is pitiful. He has been without whiskey since his confinement in the jail and the gradual decreasing buoyancy of the booze has left him a pretty shakey specimen of humanity.

Council Proceedings.

The city council met in regular session Monday night and disposed of the following business: On motion of Mr. Buellens a water trough was ordered to be placed at the corner of 20th and Monroe streets.

The bill of the Missouri Gas & Electric Service Company for \$299.25 was allowed.

The City Clerk was instructed to advertise for bids on 500 feet of fire hose.

Council adjourned to meet November 15th.

Wednesday night about eight o'clock Sheriff Wm. H. Waddell arrested James Nicholson and Jerry Smith on a charge of grand larceny. Nicholson and Smith are accused of stealing a sow and nine pigs several weeks ago from Weston Powell.

Death of Mrs. Samuel J. Andrew.

Mrs. Lizzie M. Andrew, wife of Samuel J. Andrew, died Thursday night after a lingering illness at 9:15 o'clock at her home on West South street.

Mrs. Andrew, whose maiden name was Miss Lizzie McMillan, was born in Onslow county, North Carolina, September 7, 1843, and was seventy-two years of age. She married Mr. Andrew June 13, 1866, and two years later they came to this county. Mrs. Andrew was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Andrew is survived by her husband, and daughter, Mrs. Albert Young, and a granddaughter, Miss Elizabeth Young. She is also survived by one sister, Mrs. Laura M. Beck of Los Angeles, California.

The funeral was held at the Presbyterian church Saturday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. S. O. Hall, assisted by Dr. E. C. Gordon and Rev. Xenophon Ryland.

Died on a Street Car.

Robert B. Flynt, brother of Mrs. John Taubman of this city, died Wednesday morning on a twelfth street car in Kansas City. His death was due to heart disease.

Mr. Flynt was 55 years old. He was freight claim adjuster for the Missouri Pacific Railroad. He is survived by a son, F. L. Flynt, Maryville, Mo., three sisters, Mrs. Laura Page, Kansas City; Mrs. John Taubman of this city; Mrs. Anna Storandt, Marshall, Mo., and one brother, Dudley Flynt, St. Louis.

The body will be brought to Lexington this morning and buried from the train. The services at the grave will be in charge of the Masons.

Accidentally Killed.

Sunday while Mr. and Mrs. James Edmondson and two children were on their way to the James Terhune farm and about to pass through a gate the horse they were driving took a backing spell. One little girl, Opal Moradaci, a daughter of Mrs. Edmondson by a former husband, fell from the buggy under the wheels and was crushed to death. The little girl was four years old after Mrs. Edmondson had alighted to open a gate.

Death of a Child.

George Ryland Brown, a child three years old died Monday afternoon at one o'clock, at the home of his grandfather, G. A. Kull, 211 North Sixteenth street. The little fellow's death was due to pneumonia following an attack of measles.

The funeral services conducted by Rev. R. N. Allen were held at the home Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Another Measles Victim.

Virginia, age one year and ten months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCulley, died yesterday at 12:30 o'clock. Her death was due to measles.

The funeral will be held at the home tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The circuit court convened yesterday morning in adjourned session with Judge Samuel Davis presiding.

Mrs. John Ashurst, Misses Alma and Irene Ashurst, Misses Pearl Huffman, Marion Suddath, Helena Bennett, and Anna May Rushing and Neil Ashurst spent Sunday at the Confederate Home.

"DRY" ELECTION

Lafayette County Outside of Lexington and Higginsville Will Vote December 9, 1915.

A petition bearing the signatures of nearly one thousand property owners, was presented to the county court Monday, asking that a local option election be held in the county in the near future. The court ordered that the election be held on December the ninth.

The petition was presented by Judge Henry Green of Odessa, J. B. DeMoss of Washington township and Harvey Brown of Odessa.

At a local option election held in 1908, the proposition was defeated by over seven hundred votes. Sentiment in favor of no booze has changed considerably in the intervening time, and now with a stronger organization the dry advocates hope to carry the county.

Births.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Heidenrich announce the birth of a son, Saturday, October 30, 1915.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Mollenkamp announce the birth of a son, Monday, November 1, 1915.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shinn announce the birth of a daughter, Sunday, October 31, 1915.

Dr. and Mrs. E. Wuest announce the birth of a daughter, Monday morning, November 1, 1915.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness shown to us during the sickness and death of our dear son, William, and also for the beautiful flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson.



FALLING leaves remind us to remind you about your Fall hat.

Sticklers for style stick to the Stetson—and it is our service in Stetson Hats that makes this store of ours so important to you and the other well-dressed young men of this community.

Come, try on the swagger stiff and soft hats for Fall.



A GOOD BEGINNING

Enough in a plenty, be it skittles or kids, Especially when one begins Married life on nine dollars per Too much when the stork brings twins. But hustle, my boy—you're sure to win out; Settle down by yourselves in content. Buy the lumber from us and build them a home; Don't waste all your money on rent.

Mighty good advice for some of you old-timers, too. Every dollar paid for rent is just that much good money thrown away. What's the use? Why not take the bull by the horns and let us make you an estimate on the necessary material to build with RIGHT NOW?

"THE YARD THAT SAVES AND SATISFIES"

LAMBERT LUMBER COMPANY
JOHN J. PRICE, Manager.